



Casino Control Commission

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held by the Ohio Casino Control Commission (“Commission”) on **September 9, 2024, at 1:00 p.m.** at its main office, located at 100 E. Broad Street, 20th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The purpose of the hearing is to solicit public comment on the rules contained in ERF package number 204110, the summary of which is below.

All interested parties are invited to attend the hearing and present testimony. Written comments may also be submitted to the attention of Andromeda Morrison, General Counsel and Director of Skill Games, Ohio Casino Control Commission, at 100 E. Broad Street, 20th Floor, Columbus, OH 43215, or by electronic mail at rulecomments@casinocontrol.ohio.gov.

Rule Summaries

- **3772-3-01 – titled “Institutional investor suitability or qualification” (amendment)**
The rule provides the process by which an entity can be presumed to be suitable or qualified as an institutional investor, which involves the entity submitting documentation sufficient to establish qualifications as an institutional investor, a completed certification form, and submission of any other records required by the Commission. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that R.C. 3772.01-defined institutional investors are compliant with both that definition and the statutory suitability and qualification standards in R.C. 3772.10. The amendment to this rule removes a regulatory restriction and the inherent requirement that an entity is responsible for its own application costs.
- **3772-4-01 – titled “Instructions for the casino operator, management company, and holding company license application.” (amendment)** This rule provides detailed instructions, terms, and conditions for these entities to follow to complete an application. The purpose of this rule is to provide clear instructions and expectations to operators, management companies, and holding companies for how to complete and file an application. The rule is being amended to remove certain regulatory restrictions that are inherent in the application process. For example, the rule removes the requirement that an applicant must submit a complete and legible application for a license.

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- **3772-4-02 – titled “Information that must be provided” (rescind)** The rule specifies the substantive information that must be provided to the Commission for the issuance of an operator license. This rule is being rescinded to remove regulatory restrictions and reduce redundancy, as the rule is encompassed by R.C. 3772.11.
- **3772-4-06 – titled “Duty to update information” (amendment)** This rule requires casino operators, management companies, and holding companies to update the Commission on information that has changed from the time of application that would affect the entity’s suitability for licensure. The purpose of this rule is to ensure that the Commission is aware of all circumstances that may affect an entity’s suitability for continued licensure. The amendment to the rule removes a regulatory restriction and eliminates redundancy, as the applicant has the duty to provide a complete application pursuant to the Revised Code.
- **3772-7-01 – titled “Insurance” (amendment)** This rule requires casino operators, management companies, holding companies, and gaming-related vendors to obtain and maintain insurance, as required by the Commission. The purpose of this rule is to ensure all covered entities, and therefore the State of Ohio, are adequately protected from unexpected events. Additionally, the rule is required by statutory sections, including R.C. 3772.03 and 3772.10. The amendment to the rule removes specific types of insurance which the Commission may still deem necessary pursuant to the rule.